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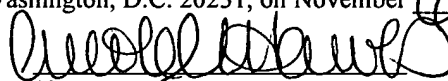
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Geoff Barrett
Serial No: 09/159,748
Filed: September 23, 1998
For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR RESTRUCTURING A BINARY
DECISION DIAGRAM [Formerly APPARATUS FOR PROVING
SYSTEM PROPERTIES]
Confirmation No.: 5513
Examiner: Thomson, W.D.
Art Unit: 2123

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AMENDMENT

Technology Center 2100

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 6, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please substitute the attached substitute specification, including revisions to the title and abstract, for the originally-filed specification pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.121(b)(3) and 1.125(b).

IN THE DRAWINGS

Please amend Figures 1-4 as indicated in red ink as shown in the enclosed drawings.
Please add new Figure 8.